Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer):* We cannot get in one year all the capital spent on pumps. We are only getting a depreciation and the rent.

Mr. K. Narayana Menon *(Mulakunnathukavu):* I don't propose to move the cut.

Mr. A. B. Salem *(Mattancheri):* Sir, I wish to add one word. We have been seeing that supplementary grants for large amounts are brought at the last Session of the year.....

Mr. President: Order, order. That is a general question. It does not apply to this particular grant. On a Supplementary grant, discussion must be confined to the subject of the grant.

Mr. K. T. Achyutan *(Ezhuvas-Trichur):* May I know the number of pumps, please?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer):* 12.

Demand put and carried

82. Rs. 8,500 "29. A. 1. Civil Engineering—Irrigation—Original"

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer):* Sir, I rise to move for an additional allotment of Rs. 8,500 under "29. A. 1. Civil Engineering—Irrigation Original". This expenditure is for the establishment charges and the transport of engines and pumps in regard to Kole cultivation. I request the House may be pleased to grant the allotment.

Mr. K. Narayana Menon *(Mulakunnathukavu):* I only seek information by this cut. Since I have already been supplied with the same I don't move.

Demand put and carried

83. Rs. 6,00 under "29. A. Civil Engineering—Communication—Repairs

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer):* Sir, I rise to move for an additional allotment of Rs. 6,000 under "29.A. Civil Engineering—Communications—Repairs." Last year the embankment of the Mala—Annamanada Road breached on occount of very high floods in the Chalakkudi River and it is in order to repair this breach that this amount is asked for. I request that the House may be pleased to grant this allotment.

Demand put and carried

84. Rs. 27,000 under "29.A. Civil Engineering—Tools and plants and stock—By transfer from State conveyance"

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer):* Sir, I rise to move for an additional allotment of Rs. 27,000 under "29. A. Civil Engineering—Tools, Plants, and Stock by transfer from State Conveyances". This amount of money was spent for the purchase of lease-lend vehicles which were required for transport purposes in this State. These vehicles were of immense use to the State for the transport of labour as well as of materials for the Anamalai Road work. Last year in the Malarial tracts. It was found that skilled labour was scarce and even the few were subjected to Malaria and they refused to stay on the hills. It was necessary for us and also in the interests of the work to transport these men from Malarial tracts down the hills to Pathiyaram or Kanjirappilli so that they may not get ill. We purchase 4 lease-lend vehicles and this money had to be spent for it. I request the House may be pleased to grant the allotment.

Demand put and carried

85. Rs. 224 under "29. C. Factories—Dearness allowance"

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer):* Sir, I rise to move for an additional allotment of Rs. 224 under "29. C. Factories—Dearness Allowance". I request the House may be pleased to grant the amount.

Demand put and carried

86. Rs. 2,307 under "Public Works—Cranganur—Communication—Repairs"

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer):* Sir, I rise to move for an additional allotment of Rs. 2307 under Public Works—Cranganur—Communications—Repairs". This additional allotment is necessitated on account of the extra charges for repairs due to tender excesses. I request the House may be pleased to grant the allotment.

Demand put and carried

87. Rs. 580 under "29. C. Buildings—Repairs"

88. Rs. 405 under "29. C. Communications—Original"

Mr, V. K Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer):* Sir, I request permission to move Nos. 87 and 88 together.

Mr. President: Yes.

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer):* Sir, I rise to move for additional allotments of Rs. 580 under "29. C. Buildings—Repairs" and Rs. 405 under "29. C. Communications Original". I request the House may be pleased to grant the allotments.

Demands put and carried

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